

Claims

- [c1] 1.A fence slat, comprising:
a longitudinal body;
the longitudinal body comprising a first side and a second side;
a first sidewall positioned on the first side of the longitudinal body; and
a second sidewall positioned on the second side of the longitudinal body;
the first and the second sidewalls comprising a locking portion positioned thereon.
- [c2] 2.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the first side wall comprises a first curved sidewall and wherein the second sidewall comprises a second curved sidewall.
- [c3] 3.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the longitudinal body comprises a rib positioned therein.
- [c4] 4.The fence slat of claim 3, wherein the rib comprises the locking portion positioned thereon.
- [c5] 5.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the longitudinal body comprises a tube.

- [c6] 6.The fence slat of claim 5, wherein the tube comprises a substantially flat first side and a substantially flat second side.
- [c7] 7.The fence slat of claim 6, wherein the tube comprises a rib separating the substantially flat first side and the substantially flat second side.
- [c8] 8.The fence slat of claim 5, wherein tube comprises a first end and a second end and wherein the first end comprises the locking portion.
- [c9] 9.The fence slat of claim 8, wherein the substantially flat first side comprises a terminating point adjacent to the first end.
- [c10] 10.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the locking portion comprises a substantial harpoon shape.
- [c11] 11.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the locking portion comprises a substantial arrow shape.
- [c12] 12.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the locking portion comprises a cutout portion and an elevated portion.
- [c13] 13.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the locking portion comprises an upper cutout portion and a lower cutout portion.

- [c14] 14.The fence slat of claim 1, further comprising a second locking portion.
- [c15] 15.The fence slat of claim 2, wherein the first and the second curved sidewalls comprise a curve towards the longitudinal body.
- [c16] 16.The fence slat of claim 2, wherein the first and the second curved sidewalls comprise a curve away from the longitudinal body.
- [c17] 17.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the longitudinal body comprises a flat strip.
- [c18] 18.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the longitudinal body comprises a first flat strip and a second flat strip.
- [c19] 19.The fence slat of claim 1, wherein the longitudinal body comprises a plurality of rail apertures positioned therein.
- [c20] 20.A fence slat, comprising:
a longitudinal body;
the longitudinal body comprising a first wall and a second wall;
a pair of sidewalls connecting the first wall and the second wall;
a rib connecting the first wall and the second wall; and

the pair of sidewalls and the rib comprising a locking portion positioned thereon.

- [c21] 21. A fence slat system, comprising:
a fence slat;
the fence slat comprising a longitudinal body with a pair of curved sidewall positioned thereon;
the pair of curved sidewalls comprising a fence slat locking portion positioned thereon; and
a slat retainer;
the slat retainer comprising a slat retainer locking portion sized to accommodate the fence slat locking portion.
- [c22] 22. The fence slat system of claim 21, wherein the slat retainer locking portion comprises an elevated portion and a cutout portion.
- [c23] 23. The fence slat system of claim 21, wherein the slat retainer locking portion comprises an indented portion.
- [c24] 24. The fence slat of claim 21, wherein the longitudinal body comprises a plurality of rail apertures therein.
- [c25] 25. The fence slat system of claim 24, further comprises a rail positioned in the plurality of rail apertures.